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DISTRICT OF HAWAII

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IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE DISTRICT OF HAWAII

NANCY MIRACLE,  
aka, NANCY MANISCALCO GREEN,  
  
Plaintiff,

vs.

ANNA STRASBERG, as Administratrix,  
c.t.a. of the Last Will and  
Testament of MARILYN MONROE.  
  
Defendant.

CIVIL NO. **92 00605 ACK**  
(Non Motor Vehicle Tort)

COMPLAINT SEEKING SHARE OF  
PRETERMITTED HEIR; EXHIBITS  
A AND B; DEMAND FOR JURY  
TRIAL; SUMMONS

COMPLAINT SEEKING SHARE  
OF PRETERMITTED HEIR

The Plaintiff, NANCY MIRACLE, aka NANCY MANISCALCO GREEN,  
through her undersigned counsel, avers and alleges as follows:

1. She is a natural person who at all times material  
herein was a resident and domiciled in the City and County of  
Honolulu, State of Hawaii.

2. The defendant is the Administratrix of the Last Will  
and Testament of Marilyn Monroe, aka Nancy Cusumano, and is  
domiciled in New York.

3. Jurisdiction is based on diversity of citizenship under 28 U.S.C. section 1332(c)(2).

4. The Will of Marilyn Monroe, aka Nancy Cusumano was probated in the Surrogate's Court held in and for the County of New York in 1962.

5. The plaintiff, Nancy Miracle, aka Nancy Maniscalco Green, is the daughter of Marilyn Monroe, aka Nancy Cusumano, (deceased) and was raised from birth, until her death, by Jennie Cusumano Maniscalco, the older blood sister of Marilyn Monroe, aka Nancy Cusumano. Plaintiff is interested in decedent's will and estate.

6. In 1962, an order of the Surrogate's Court for the County of New York was made and entered admitting to probate a certain instrument in writting purporting to be the last will and testament of Marilyn Monroe, aka Nancy Cusumano. That on said date this court made an order appointing Anna Strasberg, administratrix, of said will. That Anna Strasburg duly qualified as executrix and is now the acting administratrix of said will.

7. Since the date of the order aforesaid admitting said instrument to probate, plaintiff has discovered by evidence to plaintiff therefore unkown, and which evidence plaintiff, in the exercise of due diligence, could not have discovered prior to the date of said order and only recently discovered; that plaintiff Nancy Miracle, aka Nancy Maniscalco Green, is the sole natural born child of Marilyn Monroe, aka Nancy Cusumano.

8. Plaintiff Nancy Miracle, aka Nancy Maniscalco Green, was born on September 14, 1946 at Wykoff Heights Hospital in Ridgewood Brooklyn. The hospital birth certificate, attached hereto as exhibit A, list Jennie Cusumano Maniscalco as Plaintiff's mother. Jennie Cusumano Maniscalco was the blood older sister of Marilyn Monroe, aka Nancy Cusumano, who was not married at the time of plaintiff's birth. Based on recently discovered evidence, Marilyn Monroe, aka Nancy Cusumano, gave her only child (plaintiff) to her older sister, who raised plaintiff as her own daughter until her death. Also, based on newly discovered evidence, the birth certificate of plaintiff has the right and left footprints of plaintiff on it and the fingerprints of Marilyn Monroe, aka Nancy Cusumano, on it appearing under Mother's left and right thumbprint.

(see next two pages attached hereto as exhibit A and footprints and fingerprints of plaintiff- exhibit B).

9. Decedent's will made no provision for plaintiff, who is entitled to the same share of decedent's estate as if decedent had died intestate.

10. That plaintiff, being the sole blood daughter of Marilyn Monroe, aka Nancy Cusumano, (deceased) is entitled to a 50% fractional share of said decedent's estate as a pretermitted heir.

Wherefore, plaintiff prays that defendant, the


administratrix of the Last Will and Testament of the Estate of Marilyn Monroe, be ordered to:

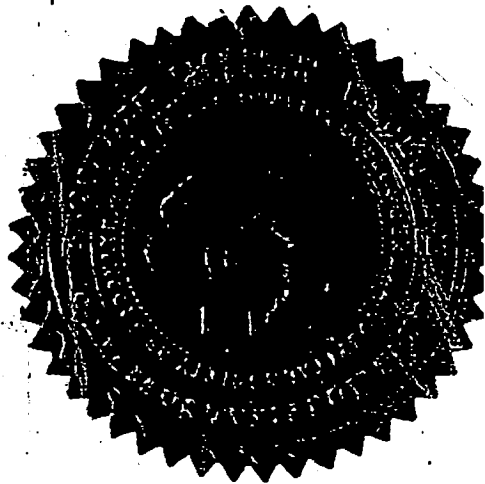
a) Distribute and pay to plaintiff, her 50% pretermitted heir share of said estate which is an amount which plaintiff's request leave to amend this complaint to show at trial but not less than five million dollars.

b) Costs of bringing this suit, including a reasonable attorney's fee, deposition expenses and witness costs; and

c) Such other relief as the court deems just.

Dated: Honolulu, Hawaii, 9/16/92

  
John Aaron Murphy Jones  
Attorney for Plaintiff



*177 William Street  
New York, N.Y. 10038  
Superintendent*

*In Witness Whereof the said Hospital has  
caused this Certificate to be signed by its duly  
authorized officer and its corporate seal to  
be hereunto affixed.*

*This Certifies that  
was born to me at 3:16 p.m. at  
in this Hospital at 14th day of September, A.D. 1946*



*Rockoff's Hospital  
of Brooklyn, N.Y.*

EXH A



Mother's left thumbprint

Baby's left footprint

Female

Female

Father's full name

Birthplace

Mother's maiden name

Birthplace

Residence at time child was born

Sex of child

Weight at birth

*Franklin*

*Bellevue*

*Franklin*

*Bellevue*

*Bellevue*

*Female*

Length at birth

Weight at birth

*5' 10"*

*24 lbs. 10 oz.*

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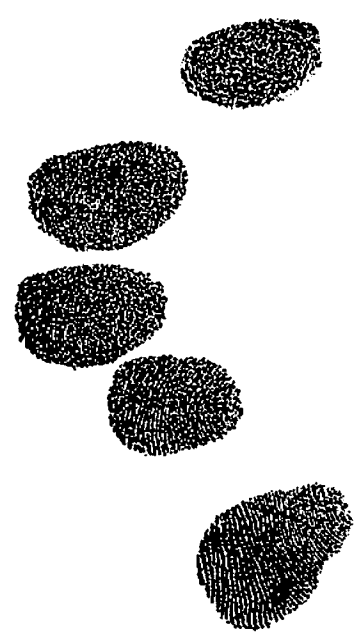
This Certificate of Birth should be signed by the

Official registration

Mother's right thumbprint

Baby's right footprint

putting my footprint + fingerprints  
herewith.



Subscribed and sworn to before me  
this 13<sup>th</sup> day of August, 1992.

Mindy Hatch  
Notary Public, State of Hawaii  
My commission expires: 6/1/96

Nancy Miracle  
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(Maniscalco, Greene)



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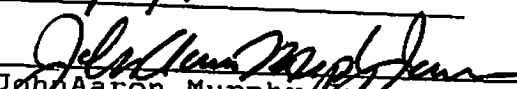
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DEMAND FOR JURY TRIAL

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600 Third Avenue  
New York, New York 10016

Please Take Notice that plaintiff demands trial by jury in  
this action.

Dated: Honolulu, Hawaii,

9/15/92  
  
JohnAaron Murphy Jones  
Attorney for Plaintiff

**To all to whom these presents shall come. Greeting:**

By virtue of the authority vested in me by the Archivist of the United States, I certify on his behalf, under the seal of the National Archives and Records Administration, that the attached reproduction(s) is (are) a true and correct copy of documents in his custody.



Signature <i>Patricia S. Bailey</i>	
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NAME AND ADDRESS OF DEPOSITORY <b>Office of Regional Records Services Pacific Region (San Francisco) 1000 Commodore Drive San Bruno, CA 94066-2350</b>	

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